

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, Engineers throughout the nation will observe Engineers Week February 18–24, 2007; and,

Whereas, Engineers Week will be highlighted by the theme, “Engineers Make A World of Difference”; and,

Whereas, Engineers Week promotes recognition among parents, teachers and students of the importance of a technical education and a high level of math, science and technology literacy and motivates youth to pursue engineering careers in order to provide a diverse, vigorous and informed engineering workforce; and,

Whereas, During this annual observance of Engineers Week, it is appropriate that citizens honor those talented and dedicated men and women whose achievements have been basic to our nation’s progress and development; and,

Whereas, Thousands of engineers throughout the United States will sponsor a variety of public activities, from technology exhibits to student competitions; and,

Whereas, Special events at the South Dakota School of Mines and Technology, Rapid City, South Dakota, include observing its 30th Annual Engineers Week:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 18–24, 2007, as

ENGINEERS WEEK

in South Dakota.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this First Day of February in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seven.

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M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Chris Nelson", written over a horizontal line.

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State